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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
  
Plaintiff,  
  
vs.  
  
KARY WATSON,  
  
Defendant.

Case No. 2:17-cr-00124-JAD-EJY

**STIPULATION AND ORDER TO  
CONTINUE SENTENCING**

(THIRD REQUEST)

ECF No. 481

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between Telia U. Williams, Esq.,  
counsel for the defendant, Kary Watson, and Robert Knief, Esq., Assistant United States  
Attorney, counsel for the Government, that the Sentencing currently scheduled for July 13, 2020,  
at 3:00pm, be vacated and reset to a time no sooner than 120 days from July 13, 2020.

This Stipulation is entered into for the following reasons:

1. The defendant, Kary Watson, and his counsel, require additional time to await the  
outcome and reasoning of the *United States v. Figueroa-Beltran*, No. 16-10388, \*8

(D.C. No. 2:15-cr-00176-KJD-GWF) (Order Certifying Question to Nevada Supreme Court.)

2. Mr. Watson and his counsel have conferred and believe that the outcome of the aforementioned case will be critical to making appropriate sentencing argument, and deciding which applicable favorable sentencing factors to focus on to potentially mitigate punishment.
3. Counsel for the Government agrees that awaiting the decision in the Nevada Supreme Court case is worthwhile, and has no objection to this continuance.
4. The defendant is in custody, but does not object to a continuance.
5. Denial of this request for continuance could result in a miscarriage of justice.
6. For all the above-stated reasons, the ends of justice would best be served by a continuance of the sentencing for one hundred twenty (120) days.
7. This is the third request for a continuance.

DATED: July 6, 2020

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**ORDER**

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

Based on the Stipulation of counsel, and good cause appearing therefore, the court finds that the Stipulation by, between, and among the United States, and defendant Kary Watson, is entered into for the following reasons:

1. The defendant, Kary Watson, and his counsel, require additional time to await the outcome and reasoning of the *United States v. Figueroa-Beltran*, No. 16-

10388, \*8 (D.C. No. 2:15-cr-00176-KJD-GWF) (Order Certifying Question to Nevada Supreme Court.)

2. Mr. Watson and his counsel have conferred and believe that the outcome of the aforementioned case will be critical to their making appropriate sentencing argument, and deciding which applicable favorable sentencing factors to focus on to potentially mitigate punishment.
3. Counsel for the Government agrees that awaiting the decision in the Nevada Supreme Court case is worthwhile, and has no objection to this continuance.
4. The defendant is in custody, but does not object to a continuance.
5. Denial of this request for continuance could result in a miscarriage of justice.
6. For all the above-stated reasons, the ends of justice would best be served by a continuance of the sentencing hearing.
7. This is the third request for a continuance.

#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

Denial of this request for continuance would deny the defendant, Kary Watson, the opportunity to consider, with his counsel, appropriate factors to weigh in his sentencing argument, and/or to consider additional favorable factors for his sentencing.

As such, denial of this request for continuance could result in a miscarriage of justice.

#### **ORDER**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the sentencing currently scheduled for July 13, 2020 at 3:00pm, be continued to November 9, 2020, at 2:00 p.m.

DATED this 9th day of July, 2020.

  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE